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MINUTES OF A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE ELEVENTH ANGUILLA
EXECUTIVE COUNCIL HELD ON WEDNESDAY 25TH MARCH 2020
AT 1:30 PM

PRESENT: His Excellency The Governor, Mr Timothy Foy, OBE

The Honourable Premier and Minister of Finance, Economic Development,
Commerce, Tourism and Information Technology, Mr Victor Banks

The Honourable Deputy Governor, Mr Perin Bradley

The Honourable Minister of Health and Social Development, Lands and Physical
Planning, Mr Evans Rogers

The Honourable Minister of Home Affairs and Education, Mrs Cora Richardson-
Hodge

The Honourable Minister of Infrastructure, Communications, Utilities, Housing,
Agriculture, Fisheries and Environment, Mr Curtis Richardson

The Honourable Attorney General, Mr Dwight Horsford

Clerk to Executive Council, Mrs Jewelle Fleming, MBE

IN ATTENDANCE: Hon Parliamentary Secretary, Mr Cardigan Connor
Ministerial Assistant to the Hon Minister, MHA, Mrs Evalie Bradley
PS, Health, Lands & Physical Planning, Mr Foster Rogers
Chief Medical Officer, Dr Aisha Andrewin
Chief Executive Officer, Health Authority of Anguilla, Mrs Maeza Demis-Adams
Director of Chronic Diseases Unit, Mrs Twyla Bradshaw-Richardson
Health Planner, Ms Rochelle Rogers
PAHO Country Programme Specialist, Ms Valerie Beach-Horne

EX MIN 20/144

COVID-19 ANGUILLA RESPONSE UPDATE AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Hon Parliamentary Secretary and Ministerial Assistant to the Hon Minister, MHA
remained. The following persons joined:

PS, Health, Lands & Physical Planning, Mr Foster Rogers
Chief Medical Officer, Dr Aisha Andrewin
Chief Executive Officer, Health Authority of Anguilla, Mrs Maeza Demis-Adams
Director of Chronic Diseases Unit, Mrs Twyla Bradshaw-Richardson

Health Planner, Ms Rochelle Rogers
PAHO Country Programme Specialist, Ms Valerie Beach-Horne

Further to EX MIN 20/143 of 24 March, Council agreed as follows:

(i) **Restriction on public gatherings**

Pursuant to section 8 (c) of the Public Health Act, for the purpose of preventing or controlling the spread of the Covid-19 disease, any public gatherings of 5 or more persons in any public place in Anguilla is prohibited with effect from Thursday 26 March 2020 to Thursday 9 April 2020.

(ii) **Restriction on hours of operations**

Bars restricted to operating hours between 7 am to 7 pm effective 11:59 pm from Thursday 26 March 2020 to Thursday 9 April 2020.

(iii) **Prohibition of restaurant sit-down services**

No restaurant shall offer sit-down services from Thursday 26 March 2020 to Thursday 9 April 2020. Restaurants would be permitted to offer take-out services during this period and should not allow the congregation of more than 5 persons at the restaurant at any particular time.

(iv) **Offence**

Any person who fails or neglects to carry out or infringes any provisions of these regulations is guilty of an offence and is liable upon summary conviction to a fine of \$2,500 or to imprisonment for a term of 6 months or to both.

Council additionally agreed that the Public Health (Temporary Restrictions on Public Gatherings) Regulations, 2020 should be signed by the Hon Minister for Health and published in the official gazette effective 26 March 2020.

Action: HON AG; PS, HLPP; CMO; CEO, HAA; HON MIN, HSD
